

# **POINTS** OF **INTEREST**

- **Ovarian Cancer Month**
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# Spirits

September is Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month; therefore I am changing all of the pages of the September Newsletter Teal for Ovarian Cancer Month..... The letter below is from one of our own Jessica Cornwell, ASA III with District #2 Enforcement, who was diagnosed with Ovarian Cancer in April of this Year!

Almost everyone can tell you that October is Breast Cancer Awareness Month and that the color associated with breast cancer is pink but most people don't realize that September is Ovarian Cancer Awareness Month and the color associated with it is TEAL. Ovarian Cancer is not discussed as much as breast cancer which is unfortunate because it is the 5<sup>th</sup> leading cause of cancer death in women.



20,000 women will be diagnosed with ovarian cancer this year and approximately 15,000 will die. This is a staggering 70% of women who will lose the fight with ovarian cancer. The reason that ovarian cancer takes so many lives is because it isn't usually found until the later stages. There is no early detection for ovarian cancer and the symptoms are so "silent" that

they are often mistaken for anything other than cancer. I know this because I had the unfortunate distinction to become one of those 20,000 women.

In April of this year my life was changed. What was thought to be a begnin mass on my left ovary turned out to be Stage 1 endometroid ovarian cancer, surprising even my oncologist. The original thought after surgery was that I was going to be late Stage 2 or early Stage 3 because the Dr feared the cancer had spread to my lymph nodes so I was elated and grateful when it had not. I

was lucky though, so many other women are not.

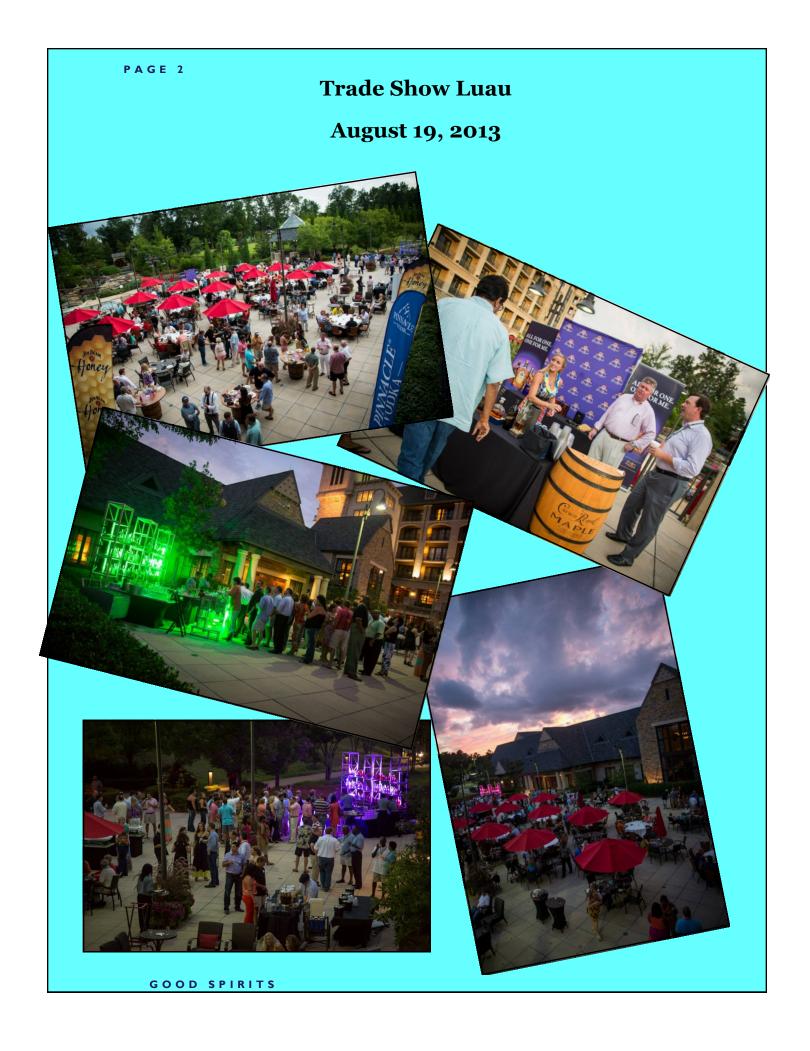
So this September I want all women and men to know the facts and the symptoms, women to arm themselves, men to help the women you love:

Jessica Cornwell

ASA III

**ABC Enforcement District 2** 

- The Facts R Ovarian cancer is one of the five leading causes of cancer death in American women.
  - **?** Ovarian cancer occurs in approximately 1 in 72 women.
  - Reach year, over 20,000 women are diagnosed and about 15,000 women die.
  - A woman's chance of survival is better if the cancer is found early.
  - A Pap smear is **NOT** a test for ovarian cancer; it detects cervical cancer.





### **Fall Trade Show**

### August 20, 2013

# Birmingham, Alabama







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#### October 1

Monty Merryman, Enforcement

Melanie Neucall, Store #50

Patsy Geoghegan-Breen, Accounting

Britney Thames, Product Management

#### October 2

Jason Powell, Enforcement Gary Larison, Store #67

#### October 3

Sonya Collins, Store #67

#### October 4

Phyllis Kirby, Store #67

#### October 6

Genevieve Richardson, Store #56

Jason Poarch, Enforcement

#### October 7

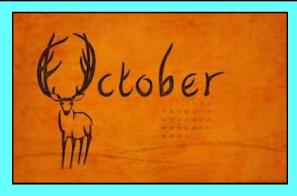
Rhonda Richardson, Stores Supervisor D#4

#### October 8

Luretta Holifield, Store #70

Aurelie You, Store #102

Andrew Hilton, Enforcement



#### October 9

Michael McCoy, Enforcement

Monica Turner, Store #93

#### October 10

Marvin Williford, Enforcement

#### October 12

Jinny Richardson, Store #66 Gigi Winborn, Store #93

#### October 13

Craig Shook, Enforcement
Wy Crocket, Personnel

#### October 14

Mark Barber, Enforcement Scottie Chandler, Enforcement

#### October 15

Kanetria Parham, Store #52 LaTreasa Moulton, Store #11

#### October 16

Lillie People, Store #93

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#### October 18

Tracy Davidson, Store #67

Darlene Wiefel, Store #46

#### October 20

Michael Bridgmon, Information Technology

Jackie Chapman, Store #164

David Stroud, Warehouse

#### October 22

Ernest Taylor, Enforcement

#### October 23

Les Woodall, Enforcement Mendy Gaston, Store #75 Dana Thompson, Store #58

#### October 24

Patty McDonald, Store #66
Fred Sparks, Store #111

#### October 25

Bill Lapradd, Enforcement
Rhonda Cox, Store #31
Sharron Bramlett, Store #64
Fred McMaster, Store #125

#### October 26

Chris Proctor, Enforcement
Anisa Turner, Store #61

#### October 29

Michael Janik, Store #10
Kathy Burch, Accounting

#### October 30

Joni Musgrove, Store #86 Rebecca Richardson, Store #146

#### October 31

John Venegoni, Enforcement

Yolande Dudley, Auditing Division

Quinton Seawright, Warehouse

Willie Owens, Warehouse

Elaine Johnson, Store #80

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#### September 7

Terry Moore, Store #39

#### September 16

Ricky Dillard, Store #92

#### September 19

Michelle Sullins, Store #96

#### **September Belated Birthdays**



#### September 22

Terry Smarr, Store #4

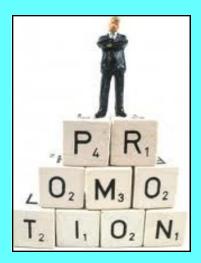
#### September 23

Eric Lucas, Floater D#2

#### September 29

Kenyatta Johnson, Store #31

Phillip Beasley, Store #28



**Congratulations on your promotions:** 

David Westmoreland, Manager I, Store #103

Demond Powell, Manager I, Store #16

RoBerta Chase, Sales Associate II, Store #42

Congratulations to Sandra Ellis Manager at Store #8, District #4 on her retirement as of August 31, 2013.



# Welcome New Employees!

# Welcome to the ABC Board Stores Division:

Alysha Watson, Sales Associate, Store #19
Shirley Rauh, Sales Associate, Store #19
Keleavia Williams, Sales Associate, Store #95
Brittany Knox, Sales Associate, Store #95
Aben Muhammad, Sales Associate, Store #31
William Person Jr., Store #31
Kelly Reynolds, Store #4

### **Information Technology:**

Jason Thompson, Mobile Field Service Technician **Auditing Division:** 

Debra Slaughter, Account Clerk

## **Stores Division**



Jamika Jolly—Allen August 12 1975—August 24, 2013

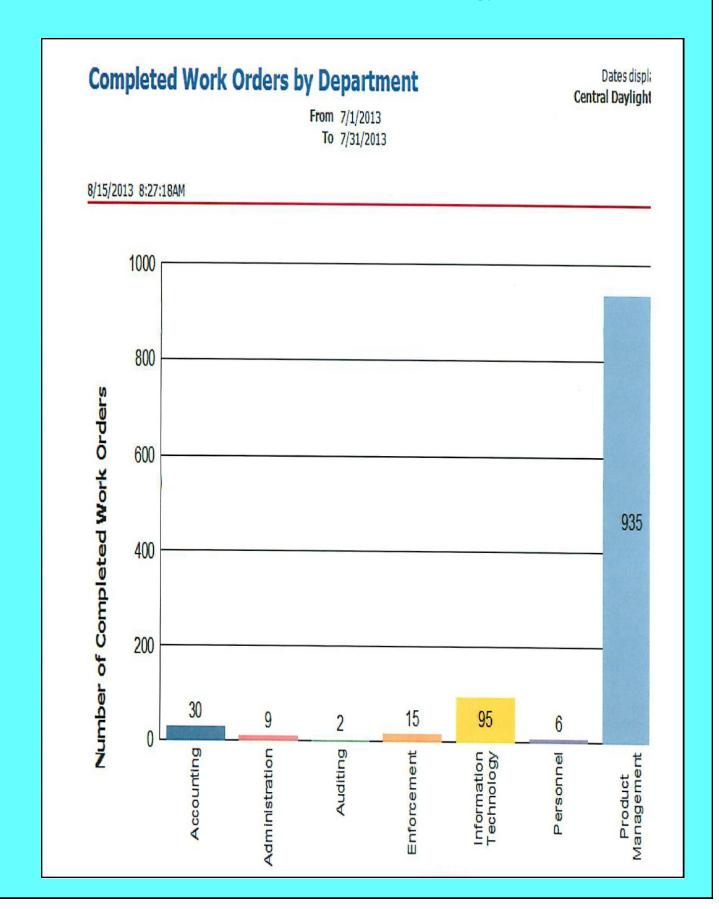
Jamika Raquel Jolly-Allen was born to the late Reverend James C. and Nettie Jolly in Birmingham, Alabama on August 14, 1975. She was a devoted and dedicated member of New Rising Star Baptist Church.

As a life time resident of Birmingham, Alabama, she was a graduate of the Class of 1993 from Woodlawn High School. She matriculated further and received an Associate of Business Administration degree from Faulkner University and was employed by the State of Alabama.

Jamika was full of life and very energetic and touched many lives. She lived, she laughed and she loved and most of all she never met a stranger. Jamika enjoyed spending time with her family and was especially grateful to God for blessing her with a beautiful girl, Jada. Jamika departed this earthly life on Saturday, August 24, 2013. Left to celebrate her life is: her husband, DerDerick Falando Allen of Birmingham, Alabama; her daughter, Jada Zenobia Allen; her brother, Jermaine (Felicia) Jolly; three sisters, Brenda Johnson, Midretta (Johnny) Hooper and Jennifer Jolly; three aunts, Alma Rudolph, Lula Mae Parker of Autaugaville, Alabama and Mittie Clemons; two sisters-in-law, April (Kenneth) Speight and Jacqueline (Rayvon) Jones; one brother-in-law, Steven Dudley, Jr.; a loving mother and father-in-law, Patricia and Steven Dudley, Sr. all of Birmingham, Alabama; two lifelong friends, Pholesha Sanders Osorio and Pholeta Alexander; a host of nieces, nephews, several cousins, other relatives and friends Through my child's eyes I see possibilities, Inrough my child's eyes I see possibilities,
Through my child's eyes I see innocence,
Through my child's eyes I see innocence,
Through my child's eyes I see of uture,
Through my child's eyes I see wonderment,
Through my child's eyes I see wonderment,
I see love for you Lord, through her eyes,
I learn with her about God and what wonderful eyes she has
Through her eyes I see GOD! By Jamika Jolly

Jamika Jolly-Allen was a Manager I in the Birmingham area, but left the ABC Board for medical reasons. Jamika past away on August 24, 2013, please remember Ms. Jolly-Allen and her family during this time. The above is the Obituary from her Home Going Celebration.

# **Information Technology**



# District 10 (Montgomery) and District 5 (Auburn)

On August 6, 2013 Enforcement Agents from District 10 (Montgomery) and District 5 (Auburn) along with Central office staff and RVP participated in the annual National Night Out at the Target parking lot in Prattville. This is a yearly event where local and regional law enforcement together with emergency personnel assemble and invite area residents to attend to build stronger relationships with the police and neighbors, heighten crime prevention awareness and build participation in local anti-crime programs.



# 2013 National Night Out





Agent Scott Powell, Kaitlyn Taylor, Teen Miss Heart of USA and Sgt. Richard Holston

### Houston we have a problem!

ABC Enforcement, along with several other local and state law enforcement, arrested several individuals on drug charges.

The round up was from Houston and surrounding counties















### **Enforcement newest member: Jett**



Pictured with Jett is his partner Sgt. Jonathan Winters

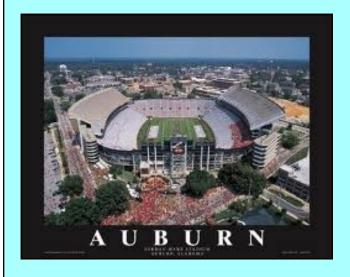
# ROLL TIDE ROLL



Date	Opponent	Location	Score
08/31	Virginia Tech	Atlanta, Ga	(W) 35-10
09/14	at Texas A&M	College Station, Tx	
09/21	Colorado State	Bryant-Denny	
09/28	Ole Miss	Bryant-Denny	
10/05	Georgia State	Bryant-Denny	
10/12	at Kentucky	Lexington, Ky	
10/19	Arkansas	Bryant-Denny	
10/26	Tennessee	Bryant-Denny	
11/09	LSU	Bryant-Denny	
11/16	at Mississippi State	Starkville, Ms	
11/23	UTC	Bryant-Denny	
11/30	at Auburn	Jordan-Hare	

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# WAR

# **EAGLE**

Date	Opponent	Location	Score
08/31	Washington State	Jordan-Hare	(W) 31-24
09/07	Arkansas State	Jordan-Hare	
09/14	Mississippi St.	Jordan-Hare	
09/21	at LSU	Baton Rouge, La	
10/05	Ole Miss	Jordan-Hare	
10/12	Western Carolina	Jordan-Hare	
10/19	at Texas A&M	College Station, Tx	
10/26	Florida Atlantic	Jordan-Hare	
11/02	at Arkansas	Fayetteville Ak	
11/09	at Tennessee	Knoxville, Tn	
11/16	Georgia	Jordan-Hare	
11/30	Alabama	Jordan-Hare	



#### **Eye of the Tiger recipe**

1 oz gold rum

1 oz coconut rum

1 oz cranberry juice

1 oz lemon juice

1 oz sugar syrup

1 oz orange juice

1/2 oz dark rum

Shake all ingredients (except dark rum) and strain into an icefilled highball glass. Sprinkle dark rum on top, and garnish with an orange slice. Serve with straws.

#### **Alabama Slammer**



1/2 oz <u>amaretto almond</u> <u>liqueur</u>

1/2 oz Southern Comfort® peach liqueur

1/2 oz sloe gin

1 splash orange juice

1 splash sweet and sour mix

Pour above ingredients into a stainless steel shaker over ice and shake until completely cold. Strain into an old-fashioned glass and serve.

If you would like to have something placed in the Newsletter please use the following contacts:

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**Personnel:** Stan Goolsby (stan.goolsby@abc.alabama.gov)

**Product Management:** Britney Thomas

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Warehouse: Betty Flowers (betty.flowers@abc.alabama.gov)

Stores Central Office and Administrator's Office:

Debra Moore (debra.moore@abc.alabama.gov) or Jennifer Holton (jennifer.holton@abc.alabama.gov)

**Store Personnel should contact their District Supervisor!** 

If you have any questions please do not hesitate to contact me either by phone or email.

Debra S. Moore

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